

AMENDMENT(S) TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0006] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0006] U.S. Patent No. 6,357,638 claims a stop formation that is not located substantially adjacent to the end of the pressing member. The patent further claims instead, that the stop formation is located above the inner arm, along the trajectory of the outer end of the inner arm, so as to block access along a predetermined path or trajectory described by the end of the inner arm, as it flexes upwardly in response to the presence of a narrow ~~strip~~ strap. The patent goes on to claim that by moving the stop formation upwardly, they block access to the inner space when the inner arm is flexed upwardly.

Please replace paragraph [0023] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0023] The end-clip or support means [[16]] 56 includes a stiff garment pressing member 52. In Figure 2, the pressing member 52 is substantially centrally supported by a carrier 20. The carrier 20 is joined by a spring arm 22 which ends in a laterally directed connecting part 24 which in turn is joined to the bar 54.

Please replace paragraph [0026] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0026] As stated previously, it is preferred that the pressing member 52 is stiff, but pivotable about the carrier 20. The arm 22 and the connecting part 24 are flexible so that a spring effect is produced. In other words, if pressure is applied on the pressing member 52 when inserting a garment, the gap B widens, the pressing member 52 pivots about the carrier 20 according to the position of the force applied on it and the arm 22 and connecting part 24 ~~flexes~~ flex to allow the gap B to widen as is required.